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United States Senator Raynor of Maryland, one of the leading Democrats of Congress, died on the 25th. He will be succeeded by a Republican.

Good health is cause for genuine thanksgiving. This boon carries with it the assurance of other great blessings and privileges—the Divine favor, ability to labor and “hoe our row” in the field of life.

BATH COUNTY COURT HOUSE

NOW IN ASHES

Warm Springs, Nov. 22.—Bath County's handsome new brick court house, which cost the county sixty-five thousand dollars, and was completed only about five years ago, was totally destroyed by fire at an early hour this morning. It is not yet certain that valuable records, books and money belonging to county and the Bank of Warm Springs were not also destroyed.

The fire caught from the furnace, and was discovered about 1 o'clock this morning. The only way to fight it was with a bucket brigade, and this was wholly inadequate, and the building was rapidly consumed. It was with the greatest difficulty and after the most heroic efforts that the jail near by, also a new structure, and the jailer's residence were saved. No other buildings were burned.

In the courthouse was the treasurer's office, also the offices of the Bank of Warm Springs. It is feared the vault doors were sprung by the intense heat, and that valuable records and papers, and possibly paper money belonging to the bank or to the treasurer, as well as the court records, were injured or destroyed. It is still impossible, owing to the heat, and smoldering fires to explore the ruins sufficiently to reach any definite conclusion.

There was an insurance on the courthouse of only ten thousand dollars.

Court was in session Thursday in the building, presided over by Judge Anderson. Today he continued the session, holding it in the Masonic Temple which was opened to the court.

LATER—Reports give the gratifying news that all the valuable records were found intact.

Public Sale.

I will on Thursday the 5th day of Dec. 1912, sell by public auction at the residence of J. L. Shumate on the Bull Pasture river, the following personal property.—Three young milch cows, one cook stove, one dining table, one round table, three bedstead, one bureau and washstand, one set parlor chairs, two rocking chairs, one side saddle, one spinning wheel, one cider mill and other things not mentioned.

Terms made known on day of sale. Sale to begin at 10 o'clock. Also on same day and place I will as agent for the heirs of Mary E. Shumate deed, offer for sale one tract of 89 acres of timber land, adjoining the lands of the United States lumber company, J. C. Saunders, Charles M. Pullins and others, lying on the west side of Bull Pasture river. Terms, one third cash on day of sale, the remainder in one and two years with interest from date with two good indorsers. L. H. Shumate Admr.

Commissioner's Office.

Monterey, Va. Oct. 28, 1912. To Irene Hevener and all the other creditors of C. K. Palmer, deceased, E. D. Swecker, Admr. of C. K. Palmer deed, Mary A. Palmer, widow of said decedent and Russell, Annie, Leta, Blanche and Harry Palmer by J. M. Colaw their guardian ad litem.

You are hereby notified that I have fixed upon Monday the 2d day of Dec. 1912, at my office in Monterey, Va. to state the following account of the debts binding the estate of C. K. Palmer, dec'd, with their priorities and priorities.

Second: An account showing the fee simple and annual rental value of the real estate of which said C. K. Palmer dec'd seized and the account of the personal estate of said decedent.

Third: Any other matter deemed pertinent by the Comr. or required to be stated by any party in interest. Which accounts are required to be taken by order of the Circuit Court for Highland County, entered on the 12 day of Oct. 1912, in a suit in Chancery therein pending between Irene Hevener et al Plaintiffs and C. K. Palmer's Admr. et al Defendants, at which time and place you are required to attend.

Given under my hand and as Commissioner in Chancery of the circuit and county courts of said county; the day and year aforesaid.

O Wilson, commissioner.

LUNG DISEASE

"After four in our family had died of consumption I was taken with a frightful cough and lung trouble, but my life was saved and I gained 87 pounds through using

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Letter from Clarkston, Washington.

I wonder if my friends in Virginia will be surprised when they learn that I have become a suffragette, at least that I have voted. On Tuesday I cast my first vote for Woodrow Wilson and the democratic ticket. I have been west not quite two years, but this was the first election in which I have taken part. While living in Voltaire, Idaho, there was a town election, but as I had not been a resident long enough to vote, and as it was raining as it alone can rain in Idaho and along the Pacific coast, I sat indoors and let the others take care of politics. But always I have been desirous of seeing an election in which women voted. I had heard much said by those for and against women's suffrage, while living in the east, and I was anxious to see for myself how affairs were conducted. On Tuesday morning at breakfast my brother said, "now I will phone you when I can come for all of you and be ready, for I'll be very busy taking people to the polls." Well, it rained all morning, and I said to myself, "Well, Woodrow I would like to see you elected, but if it keeps up raining at this rate, I'm afraid you'll not get my vote." You see how important voting makes me feel; but about noon the clouds broke away, the sun came out, and I concluded that after all I would get my vote in; about two o'clock my brother phoned and said he would be up in the auto in fifteen minutes, and for all of us to be ready. At that time I was busy putting away the dishes and getting the kitchen straightened up, you should have seen me fly around, mother and one of my sisters said they wouldn't vote, the other sister was teaching in town, and would not have an opportunity to vote until school closed at 3:30 p. m. so father, brother, myself and three friends went together to the voting place, which was about one-half a mile from our residence. My, but it was muddy! And where do you suppose we went to vote? To a barn! But it was all right, it was quite a fancy kind of barn, all painted, and the booths were newly put up, each booth had a nice little table on which to mark your ballot, and every thing was very spick and span, very neat and clean; there was quite a crowd when we drove in, but they quickly made way for us, and we got out; one rather sad looking individual, in a blue serge suit, stepped up, and in a mild, melancholy way said, "Will you take one of my cards?" I thought probably it was a western way of introduction, and as he looked harmless, I said as politely as I could, "Why, certainly," and he handed me out nice little white cards, neatly engraved to all of us; on them was E. L. Watkins', republican candidate for sheriff of Asotin Co. Well, I didn't want to hurt his feelings or make him look any sadder, so I took his card, and carried it until I was well away from him, and then I dropped it—that was my only encounter with a candidate; several of them had visited the house before the election, but I had always managed to avoid them. We went in, and one of my friends said, "Now you and Mrs. Belts get in line and hold your places, so you can vote quickly, and get away from here," so we fell in behind a procession of half a dozen or more men, every one was very nice and well behaved. I heard no swearing nor loud talking, no soliciting of votes, no pushing nor scrambling; there seemed to be quite a foreign element at the polls when I was there, Norwegians, Germans and Swedes, but these are always well behaved. While I was waiting my turn, a German woman with her head wrapped up in a gray scarf, and a funny looking brown dress on, said, "Vere do I go? In dis stall?" meaning the voting booth. Quite a laugh went up at her expense.

This is the first general election in Washington in which the women have voted, and it seemed to me quite wonderful how well they managed it. Most of them seemed to know exactly how she wished to vote, and without any questions went at it in a business like way. I saw one man assisting a woman, his wife I thought, with her ticket, I thought the judges would tell him to get away from the booth, but they did not, so I concluded that likely she was a foreigner who could not read English, and that he was assisting her in that way.

It has been said time and again O, the women will vote as their husband and father do, but it is not true here; I know of a dozen cases where the wife voted one ticket, and the husband another. One family here voted for all the different tickets, the father voted for Roosevelt, the wife for Taft, the son the Socialist, the daughter for Wilson and the grandmother for prohibition. It does not seem to produce any ill feeling. The men seem to think if the women have sense enough to vote, they know who to vote for. It did seem so strange to me when I first came west to here a woman say "I haven't made up my mind whom I will vote for, I'll have to read up and study the various platforms." The women here go at the political game very earnestly, and seem to study the various questions and issues very seriously.

In almost every election the liquor question comes up. In this town, almost to a unit, the women oppose the saloon, but in Lewiston, which is in Idaho, but connected with

Clarkston by a suspension bridge, I am sorry to say, many of the women, especially those of wealth and prominence are for the saloon and when you ask them why they favor the liquor traffic they will tell you it is good for business.

I had never dreamed that decent, self respecting and seemingly respectable women could ever favor the selling of whiskey, I knew there was a certain vicious set of women in the larger towns and cities that would favor such things, but such women as these, church going, modest, feminine women, mothers of families it came as a perfect surprise to me, and it still seems a most shocking, unnatural thing.

Well, the election is over, and Wilson is our next president; I hope he'll rule wisely and well. There are dire predictions by the progressives and republicans here that there will be terrible business reverses, bank failures, low prices for farmers, etc. I hope they may be false prophecies. For my part I am delighted that we have a democrat in White House once more, and one from our dear loved state, Virginia. May the mantles of Washington, Jefferson and the other Virginia presidents fall upon him. L. W.

A Great Building Falls.

when its foundation is undermined, and if the foundation of health good digestion—is attacked, quick collapse follows. On the first signs of indigestion, Dr. King's New Life Pills should be taken to tone the stomach and regulate liver, kidneys and bowels. Pleasant, easy, safe and only 25c at Druggists.

Trustee's Sale of Real Estate and Personal Property

By authority vested in me by a certain deed of assignment of record in Highland County circuit clerk's office in Deed book No. 17 at page made by L. W. Shouder and Company to me as trustee for the creditors of said firm, I will on Saturday, the 21st day of Dec. 1912, at Doe Hill, Va., offer for sale at public auction the following property:

A dwelling house situated on the corner at the entrance to the village with about 1/2 acre of land on which there is a dairy, wood house, stable and all necessary outbuildings and a good garden. This is a substantial and modern house and it and all the outbuildings are in good state of repair and is one of the best residences in the county.

A small dwelling house just across the road from the above described dwelling house with a good cellar and a wood house on the same lot. These two properties will be offered separately and as a whole.

One Buick Automobile, 1912 model which has been used very little and nearly new, one organ, one sewing machine, one billiard table, one dining table, one mattress, two bedsteads, 2 bed springs, two bureaus, one hall tree, two heating stoves, one large mirror, two lamps, three rocking chairs, 6 dining chairs, one kitchen cabinet, one folding couch, one set of soldering irons, 10 lb potatoes, a lot of jugs, a lot canned fruit, 1 wash tub, one large rug, 1 clock, 1 small table, thirty yards of matting, 8 yards of floor oil cloth. These things are all new and have never been used and are in splendid condition. No better furniture was ever offered for sale in Highland County.

Terms: As to real estate: One tenth cash on day of sale and the purchaser to execute his three bonds of equal amount dated on day of sale, bearing interest from date, waiving the homestead with approved personal security, and as to personal property cash will be received on all purchases amounting to \$10 and less, above that amount negotiable note with satisfactory indorser bearing interest from date and due three months after date. ANDREW L. JONES, Trustee for the benefit of the creditors of L. W. Shouder & Co.

Public Sale of Real Estate

I will offer for Sale at Public Auction my farm in Highland County, lying on both sides of Cow Pasture river, two miles northeast of Williamsville, Va. on December 11, 1912, at 9 a. m.

This farm contains 638 acres, 80 acres is excellent river bottom land, about 50 acres table land well fenced, nearly all cleared and good grazing. Never failing mountain stream running through it. The remaining portion is mountain land and is heavily timbered in its virgin State. It also contains mineral deposits and is excellent range for Cattle, Sheep, and hogs. On this farm is a good 7 room house, a tenant house, bank barn and other outbuildings, good orchard of select fruit, good well at kitchen porch, convenient to church, school house, post office, stores and mill. It is located in one of the most noted blue grass sections of Virginia and is good for grazing or cultivating for all grains raised in this section.

TERMS—\$3,000 Cash will be required. The balance in three equal annual payments. The purchaser to execute bonds bearing 6 per cent interest two approved personal security and a deed of trust retained ultimate security.

At same time and place, I will offer for sale all of my household and kitchen furniture, farm implements and live stock, stock scales, also a lot of hay, grain, fodder, a nice lot of white pine lumber, etc.

Terms made known on day of sale. For further information apply to W. B. STEWART, Williamsville, Va.

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(By MRS. JOHN J. MOORE, Missouri.) A most common disease among chickens and one which causes great loss in the summer is gages. This disease, which is most prevalent in cool, damp weather, is caused by worms, which get in the young chick's windpipe, causing it to gasp for breath and if not dislodged, shutting off its supply of air.

Sometimes the worm can be twisted out with a horsehair, but this is a severe remedy and other worms may take its place.

The following is a preventative and will check the trouble at once: Obtain the leaves of the common woodworm, sometimes called Jerusalem oak, a plant which grows wild in most places, having an erect shrubby stem and small, yellowish flowers. Its leaves when crushed have an unpleasant odor and are used in the manufacture of vermifuge and to protect clothing and furniture from moths and other insects.

Mash the leaves and mix in a small quantity with the chicken's feed or put in the drinking fountain. Or, after the seeds have ripened, they may be used instead of the leaves and a quantity gathered for future use.

POULTRY NOTES

One of the best ways to start is to get six hens, and grow.

To successfully preserve eggs, perfectly fresh ones must be selected. Remember that it is the profit per hen that counts, not the profit per flock.

Milk is an excellent food for growing chicks and, in fact, for any class of fowls.

It does not require much hard work to keep a flock in good condition in the summer.

The simplest form of intestinal disorder to which chickens are subject is ordinary diarrhea.

Better that the chicks roost in the trees than that they be confined in a vermin-ridden building. There can be no question that a lot of fowls die yearly from no other cause than a lack of food.

The reputation of giving a square deal to every customer is as necessary as that of breeding birds of good quality.

Skim-milk is not a dear commodity in the poultry yard when its beneficial effects upon the stock are considered.

Body lice will worry a flock to death, or so nearly so as to destroy its usefulness. These can be killed, but not easily.

Doom of the Army Mule.

The army mule is doomed, according to Capt. E. A. Williams, quartermaster, United States army, who had charge of the auto trucks recently tested by the army. He said that the animal, which has been as important to the army as ammunition in the past, eventually is to be supplanted by the auto truck.

J. W. Copeland, of Dayton, Ohio, purchased a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for his boy who had a cold, and before the bottle was all used the boy's cold was gone. Is that not better than to pay a five dollar doctor's bill? For sale by all dealers.

Notice.

All persons having claims against the estate of C. K. Palmer dec'd. will please file them with Com. O. Wilson on or before the 2nd day of Dec. All accounts must be properly proven. E. D. Swecker Admr.

Veterinary Notice

I am permanently located in Monterey for the purpose of practicing Veterinary medicine, Surgery and Dentistry. Soliciting your patronage, I am respectfully yours, Dr. A. W. Miller, D. V. M.

For Sale

December 10, 1912

Valuable real estate known as the Williamsville mill property. Contains 303 acres which part of it contains fine timber; 4 dwelling houses, one containing 7 rooms and hall, one 5 rooms, one 4 rooms and one 3 rooms; 1 blacksmith shop; one new store house; two stables; 1 hay shed and all necessary out buildings; one mill with best burrs in the state; three never failing springs; two wells and good water power to run mill; 50 or 75 old apple trees bearing; 800 to 1,000 young apple and peach trees; some pears, quinces, plums, damsons and some other fruit on young trees.

Located near store, churches and schools and as good neighborhood as is in the county, also close to Doctor.

Terms: \$3,000 cash will be required, the balance in three equal annual payments. The purchaser to execute bond bearing 6 per cent interest, two approved personal security and a deed of trust retained ultimate security.

For further information apply to Ernest Lockridge, Williamsville, Va.

Bath Co.

At the same time and place, I will offer for sale, all my household and kitchen furniture, farming implements, live stock, etc.

Terms made known on day of sale.

POULTRY NOTES

Rape makes a good crop for late season food.

Poultry is extremely profitable if properly handled.

Poultry, fruit and bees form a combination hard to beat.

Fowls have no sense of smell. They have nostrils, but not noses.

A cement floor in the laying pen and roosting closet is advisable.

Don't let lice "get away" with your chicks, while you wonder what ails them.

Keep the males separated from the growing pullets. Both will develop better.

Ducklings generally begin molting when eleven weeks old and continue for about six weeks.

Don't forget that wet and leaky coops do not tend to produce healthy chickens, but early death.

It is a good plan to let all the breeding stock out of the yards to enjoy free range during the summer.

Don't try to breed from poor stock. It takes too long and good stock is cheap enough for you to start right.

Free range for the flock greatly simplifies the feeding problem, because the fowls can balance their ration, to a large extent, with the food they pick up.

Only A Fire Hero.

but the crowd cheered, as with burned hands, he held up a small round box. "Fellows!" he shouted "this Bucklen's Arnica Salve I hold, as everything beat for burns." Right! also for boils, ulcers, sores, pimples, eczema, cuts, sprains, bruises, Sorest pile cure. It subdues inflammation, kills pain. Only 25c at all Druggists.

Notice.

The committee of the Monterey Switch Board will receive sealed bids for operating said switch board for the coming year until Nov. 25th 1912. The committee will meet on that day. Ira D. Gushall, General Mgr.

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